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MEMORANDUM FOR:

Operations School/OTR

SUBJECT:

CS Senior Seminar

1. In response to your request made this morning at the meeting of members of the Senior Seminar I would like to express my preference to specialize in the topic for the third week "Structure of the CS."

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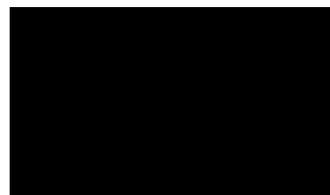
2. I briefly filled in [REDACTED] on the meeting and acquired from him his comments on the paper that you sent earlier and which he said you were to pick up from him (attached).

3. I don't know if it's appropriate to use this forum to drum up your own trade but I am also attaching a memorandum for the DDP on the subject of "Improvement of Requirements for Information on Soviet R&D Programs." I prepared this paper for [REDACTED] signature to send to [REDACTED] when he was DDP trying to advance some of my private views on the whole problem of collection against Soviet R&D targets. I spent about two years, whenever I found an opportunity, to advance this approach to collection and may have had a modicum of success. Maybe it's not even a good idea but I have yet to find any persuasive arguments against it and I have found some support from outside of SB Division for it. Anyway, it might be something to kick around.

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4. If you have any other suggestions or wishes please give me a call. I can fill you in more fully, if you wish, on my offer to use my place on Chesapeake Bay for small group discussions.

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Attachments

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